IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 237 OF 2006

Ram Bharat Kale ...Applicant.

V/s

State of Maharashtra ...Respondent.

Mr. Rahul S. Thakur for the applicant.
Ms. Rajeshree M. Gadhvi, APP for the respondent.

CORAM: V.M. KANADE, J.

DATE: 14th March 2006

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1. Heard the learned Counsel for the applicant and the learned APP for the State.

2. On the last occasion, the learned APP was directed to verify the address given by the applicant. She submits, after taking instructions from the Investigating Officer who is present in Court, that the address is correct. She submits that, however, the applicant is staying in hutment.

3. The applicant was arrested in connection C.R. No.22 of 2005 registered at Roha Police Station for the offence punishable under section 395, 397, 457, 380 and 511 of the Indian Penal Code. The applicant is in

custody since 11/3/2005. The charge-sheet has been filed. The other accused have been released on bail. Considering these facts, in my view, the applicant is entitled to be released on bail.

4. The applicant be released on bail in the sum of Rs 5000/- with one or two sureties in the like amount. The applicant shall report to Roha Police Station twice in a month.

5. If any attempt is made by the applicant to threaten the witnesses, liberty is granted to the Public Prosecutor to apply for cancellation of the bail.

6. Application is accordingly disposed of.

V.M. KANADE, J.